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Decision Notice
Western Montana Fish and Game Association
July 28, 2017

Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks (FWP) released a Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) to provide the Western Montana Fish and Game Association (WMFGA), Deer Creek Shooting Center (DCSC) with a Montana Shooting Range Development Grant. The range is located just over one mile east of East Missoula, Montana, ¼ mile south of Interstate 90 at Shooting Center Lane, Missoula, MT 59802; Lat. 46.87254, Long. -113.91281; Section 19, Township 13 North, Range 18 West.

FWP will provide up to \$45,522.50 in funding for the Western Montana Fish and Game Association's proposed improvements to construct an ADA handicap-accessible 100-yard shooting bay for handicap shooters; install three new shooting covers; construct a new Junior shooting bay with cover; construct a new safety bay at the west end of the DCSC; develop a new well for irrigation and fire suppression and install a cover for the outdoor area at the WMFGA range.

A Draft EA was made available for public review and comment on FWP's website (<http://fwp.mt.gov/>, "Recent Public Notices") from July 6, 2017 through July 21, 2017. A legal notice was also published in the *Missoulian* newspaper on July 7, 2017.

Public Comments

No public comments were received.

Based on public and internal review, the Draft EA will be adopted as the Final EA. This Decision Notice and the Final EA will serve as the final documents pertaining to this action.

Sincerely,

Signature on file

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